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VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Mr. David Waddell Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 32743-0505

Re:

Telera Communications, Inc. - Docket No. 00-01134

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed please find for filing an original and thirteen (13) copies of supplemental information to be filed in Telera Communications, Inc.'s Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Competing Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services in Tennessee in Docket No. 00-01134.

I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date stamped and returned to me in the enclosed self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope.

If you have any questions or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

Anthony Cooke

Director of Government Affairs for

Lance J.M. Steinhart

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Enclosures

cc: Scott Temple (w/enc)

Telera Communications, Inc. (Applicant) Docket No. 00-01134 January 16, 2001

Financial Requirements

1. Most current financial statements of the Applicant.

Response: Applicant does not have financial statements at this time. Currently Telera Communications, Inc., (Applicant) is only a shell until such time when authority to operate as an interexchange and local exchange provider, interconnection agreements are finalized, and final tariffs are approved. Telera, Inc., is the parent company of the Applicant and operating company.

Miscellaneous Requirements

1. Applicant's involvement in pertinent mergers, acquisitions, etc.?

Response: Applicant has no involvement with any mergers, acquisitions, etc.

2. Are customer deposits required? If so, amount required? Is the Applicant bonded for the amount of the deposits?

Response: Applicant does not require customer deposits.

3. Please quantify amounts included in financial statements and projections relating to reciprocal compensation for terminating ISP traffic.

Response: Applicant did not factor revenue related to reciprocal compensation for terminating ISP traffic into its financial statements and projected financial statements.